(SRI B. M. SEENAPPA.)

(*d*) whether these purchases were made through the Stores Purchase Committee after calling for tenders or whether the Factory or Filature itself called for quotations and made purchases direct ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) Yes,

(*b*) *Year*	*Quantity*	*Rate*	*Firm*
		Rs. a. p.	Messrs. G. S. Siddaverappa B. S. Shankarappa, 4, Chowdeswari Temple Street, Bangalore-2.
1952-53	... 41 marcs	64 11 4 per marc	
1953-54	... 28 marcs	64 6 8 per marc	
1954-55	... 50 marcs	63 0 0 per marc	

(*c*) Nil.

(*d*) Purchases during 1952-53 and 1953-54 are direct but during 1954-55 the purchases are as L. I. contract No. 14359 of the Stores Purchase Committee.

High School admissions in K. G. F.

Q.—802. Sri K. S. VASAN (Kolar Gold Fields).

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether they are aware that a large number of students seeking admissions to the High School classes this year in Kolar Gold Fields are stranded for want of accommodation in the existing High School ;

(*b*) whether they are aware that there is an immediate necessity of at least one more High School in the area;

(*c*) the action that they propose to take to provide seats to all those who seek admission ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) A new Boys' High School under private management has been opened at the place recently. This will meet with the demand for additional seats.

Silk Industry (Establishment in Devanahalli Taluk).

Q.—889. Sri H. T. PUTTAPPA (Hoskote-Anekal—Scheduled Castes).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they are examining the question of establishing any industry in Devanahalli Taluk ;

(*b*) whether there are no facilities to establish silk industry in Devanahalli Taluk ?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Yes. The sericultural industry is already in existence in the Taluk.

Postponed Questions and Answers

DR. R. NAGAN GOWDA (Minister for Agriculture).—Sir, I lay on the Table of the House replies to one question of October Session 1952, 4 questions of Budget Session, 1954 and 230 questions of October Session, 1954 which have been treated as postponed questions.††

Discussion on Fact Finding Committee Report (*Contd.*)

Sri V. M. MASCARENHAS (St. John's Hill).—Mr. Speaker, Sir, a student of Indian History is familiar with the rise and growth of the British

†† These are printed separately as a supplement to this volume.